

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY - ORIGINAL APPLICATION

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. _____

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled A process for the simultaneous production of xylitol and ethanol

the specification of which

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_____ is attached hereto.

_____ was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____ and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE OF FILING (day, month, year)	DATE OF ISSUE (day, month, year)	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC 119
Finland	900220	15/01/1990		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application:

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE (day, month, year)	STATUS (i.e. Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
PCT/FI91/00011	10/01/1991	Pending

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and conduct all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. (list name and registration number)

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<p>I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.</p>				
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have invented certain new and useful improvements in A process for the simultaneous production of xylitol and ethanol

for which we have made
(i/we have made or am/are about to make) application for Letters

Patent of the United States of America;

AND WHEREAS, Xyrofin Oy, Kyllikinportti 2, SF-00240 Helsinki, FINLAND

desirous of acquiring an interest therein and in the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor from the United States;

NOW THEREFORE, be it known by all whom it may concern, that for and in consideration of

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to us in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged we have assigned, sold, and set over, and by these presents do hereby assign, sell, and set over unto the said Xyrofin Oy

our entire right, title, and interest in and to the said invention, as fully set forth and described in the:

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(a) specification prepared and executed by us on the 3rd day of August, 1992,
(b) application filed on the day of 1992, Serial No. _____, preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent therefor; said invention, application and Letters Patent to be held and enjoyed by the said Xyrofin Oy for their own use and behoof, and for their legal representatives, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent are granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by us had this assignment and sale not been made.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands and affix our seals at Kantvik, Finland this 3rd day of August, A.D. 1992.

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